Housing Counseling Services RFA Fact Sheet Update

Sponsor: The Department of Housing and Community Development

(DHCD)

Funding: \$2 Million Focused on Housing Counseling Services

Dates: Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) published: May 21, 2004

RFA Issued: May 21, 2004

Pre-Proposal Conference: June 2, 2004 RFA Closing Date: June 22, 2004

Grant Agreements Executed: no later than October 1, 2004

Access: <u>RFA Packages Available May 21, 2004</u>

DHCD

801 North Capitol Street, NE, 6th Floor

9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. (442-7200)

New Date: Website access on or about May 28, 2004

Pre-Proposal Wednesday, June 2, 2004, 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Conference: DHCD

801 North Capitol Street, NE, 9th Floor

Agenda: Discussion of the RFA process and response to

The Department of Housing and Community Development

questions

Application

Fees:

Sponsor:

(DHCD)

None.

Funding and Focus

\$2 Million Available for Housing Counseling Services (Washington, DC) the Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD) is making available approximately \$2 Million in Community Development Block Grant funds for organizations committed to neighborhood revitalization.

The Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD) is soliciting applications for comprehensive housing counseling services in designated neighborhoods of the District of Columbia.

The Department supports activities that provide services directly to low- and moderate-income persons where the services benefit at least 51% low- and moderate-income persons.

The deadline for application submissions is Tuesday, June 22, 2004 at 4:00 p.m. at DHCD, 801 North Capitol, Street, NE, 6th Floor.

DHCD expects to execute grant arguments by October 1, 2004.

DHCD will focus its funding on the service areas outlined in the service map of the RFA. However, applications to provide housing counseling services in areas beyond those described in the RFA, and/or for target populations will be considered. In addition, the Department is interested in providing targeted outreach to residents and households located in or near the 14 "Hot Spots" recently designated as high-crime areas by the Metropolitan Police Department.

Eligible Organizations: Community-based non-profit organizations and community development corporations.